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## Hitler's Desperate Bid To Isolate Britain From All Outside Aid

# GERMAN THREAT TO AMERICAS

By A Diplomatic Correspondent

**I**NFORMATION REACHING ME FROM RELIABLE NEUTRAL SOURCES REVEALS THAT A NEW HITLER PLAN TO SECURE WHAT HE HOPES WILL BE A QUICK DECISIVE VICTORY, IS NEARING COMPLETION.

Intended to shatter British and American morale by isolating Britain from all outside aid, the plan is based on the success of the following progressive moves:

- (1) OCCUPATION OF THE WHOLE OF FRANCE;
- (2) THE SETTING UP OF A PUPPET KING OF FRANCE, PROBABLY THE COMTE DE PARIS, BOURBON PRETENDER TO THE THRONE; AND
- (3) THE USE OF WEST AFRICAN BASES TO, THREATEN THE NEW WORLD.

In addition, as I told last week, Hitler would try to stir up trouble for Britain in the Far East by seeking the active intervention of Japan.

A drive through the Balkans with the object of creating further diversions in the Near East is also possible. At the same time, Italy might try to gain control of the Suez Canal zone and oilfields in Iraq.

To enable Hitler's new plan to be achieved, Nazi propaganda on the "divide and rule" theory is being intensified in the controlled French radio and Press.

The first aim is to provide the excuse to suspend the peace negotiations in Wiesbaden, where the difficulties of the French representatives are being daily increased, and to occupy "Vichy" France on the excuse of maintaining order.

First Nazi choice as puppet king, the Comte de Paris, was, before the war, an exile in Belgium. Some time before the invasion of France he is reported to have said: "My chances of becoming king are negligible if France is victorious; quite considerable if she is beaten."

The Comte is now in Brazil, where he was sent with German help some time ago. Reports state that he has assumed royal state as far as conditions allow, and that he has accepted

## "CLARE" IS HOME AGAIN

When the occupation of France is complete the other stages of Hitler's new plan will be speeded up.

The Nazis hope by pressure to transform the non-belligerency of Spain into active intervention against Britain. Propaganda is now being intensified in Madrid, the pro-Nazi Falangists, the strongest party in Spain, have redoubled their efforts to influence General Franco.

Their leader is Senor Suner, Franco's brother-in-law. In close contact with Hitler, Suner is demanding the "protection" of Portugal against Britain.

Their national newspaper "Arriba" is leading the people to believe that Spain is on the verge of war.

One factor, however, may upset this part of Hitler's plan—the possibility of a Republican revolution if the Falangist army is engaged elsewhere. This has been the excuse so far offered by Franco against Hitler's attempts to involve Spain in the war.

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All but six seats of the flying-boat had been pulled out to take extra mail and freight."

## Khaki Camouflage Ban On Private Cars

YOU must not camouflage your car to resemble a vehicle in the service of the armed forces.

A Ministry of Transport Order to this effect comes into force on August 26.

After that date no vehicle may be used on the highway if it is painted or otherwise treated in a way resembling a naval, military or Air Force vehicle.

The Ministry advise the use of any neutral colour other than greys and khaki adopted by the Services. Glossy surfaces and bright colours should be avoided.

A method advocated by the British Industrial Design Group, which may appeal to car owners of

an artistic temperament, is that one half of the car, divided longitudinally, should be painted to harmonise with the country and the other half with the town.

If there is an air attack against a hedge or bushes so that the protective colouring intended for use in the town is screened.

If in a town, it is drawn up close to a building or wall so that half of the car intended to harmonise with the country background is screened.

### VON BLOMBERG'S TOUR

From the start the German military staff must have taken into consideration the necessity for the occupation of points on the Danish and Norwegian coasts in war time to keep the Skaggerak open.

By the autumn of 1936 preparatory work had advanced so far that the then War Minister, General von Blomberg, considered that the time had come to investigate the possibilities of setting up necessary bases. He asked Norway's permission to undertake a pleasure trip in the naval yacht Grille during October. Permission was given.

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## MEN WHO MAKE THE RAIDS



The pilot and observer of a British bomber checking over their position before letting go their bombs.

## Norway Was Doomed In 1936!

**G**ERMANY STILL PRETENDS THAT HER ATTACKS ON THE SMALL NEUTRALS OF WESTERN EUROPE WERE FORCED ON HER BY GREAT BRITAIN AND FRANCE. AT THE LAST MOMENT SHE HAD TO PROTECT HERSELF AGAINST AGGRESSION INTENDED BY THE ALLIES. AGAINST HER WILL SHE WAS FORCED TO INVADE DENMARK, NORWAY, HOLLAND AND BELGIUM.

Her case is shattered by an article in the Swedish newspaper, "Göteborgs Handels och Sjöfarts-Tidning," in which Per Nystrom sets out with abundant documentation the story of how Germans made ready her stroke. He begins his story four years ago. The conclusion to which he is driven is:

"The Norwegian sphere of operations was intended from the beginning to be the right wing in the line of attack against England. The expedition has never been an end in itself but rather a link in the encirclement of the British Isles, the chief movement of which was the battle in Flanders."

The practical work for the organisation of the Skagerrak front, says Per Nystrom, can with certainty be dated as far back as 1936, and probably it had its beginnings even earlier.

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### RAIDER BAGS 2 PHEASANTS

CHASED by Spitfires, an enemy raider jettisoned its cargo of bombs on open land in a country district after flying over a South-East town last night.

The bombs fell about five miles outside the town, exploding in fields, the only casualties being a brace of pheasants.

### ACCURATE FIRING

Heavy anti-aircraft fire which shook houses greeted the plane as it flew over the town at a height of about 8,000 ft. The pilot twisted and turned to avoid bursting shells and machine-gun fire from British planes close on his heels.

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## Spain Reports Another Naval Fight

Madrid, Saturday.

**A**BATTLE between British and Italian ships is proceeding some miles off the Balearic Islands, according to a Spanish news agency despatch from Gibraltar, via Algeciras.

The agency adds, however, that the Gibraltar authorities have no news of any such battle.—Reuter.

## SUBMARINE ODIN LOST

*She Had Crew Of Fifty*

**T**HE SECRETARY OF THE ADMIRALTY REGRETS TO ANNOUNCE THAT H.M. SUBMARINE ODIN, 1,475 TONS (LT.-COMMANDER K. M. WOODS, R.N.) IS CONSIDERABLY OVERDUE AND MUST BE PRESUMED LOST.

The next-of-kin have been informed.

The Odin was completed in May, 1928, and was the prototype of the Odin class, having five sister vessels.

She had an overall length of 283 feet and carried guns and torpedo tubes.

She cost £490,000 and had a complement of 50.

## SIR ABE BAILEY

*"World's Heaviest Gambler" Passes On*

**S**IR ABE BAILEY, the famous sportsman and Rand gold magnate, died yesterday in Cape Town. He was seventy-five.

It is believed that he was worth £10,000,000 to £15,000,000.

He won—and lost—several fortunes. He gambled in gold rushes, in horses, in finance, and even in his own life.

"There are times," he once said, "when I feel ready to lay odds that I am the world's heaviest gambler."

His greatest gamble was in July, 1937. He was seventy-two years old, desperately ill with phlebitis and suffering from heart trouble. Doctors told him that either his leg had to go or his life.

"Get on with it," he told them. A year later Sir Abe lost his other leg.

That did not prevent him from travelling from Cape Town to see the following year's Derby.

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# THE WEEK'S FOOD FACTS N°3



Start now to collect these useful advertisements. Pin them up in your kitchen.

PLEASE make full use of the fruit and vegetables now so plentiful. It is important that we should eat home produce rather than food which has to come from overseas. Never waste anything, however small. Never eat more than enough. You'll be fitter, you'll save money, you'll make cargo space available for materials of war. Every time you cook you can help or hinder Hitler!

#### ON THE KITCHEN FRONT

**HEALTH HINT.** Among the protective foods, salads have a high place. Eat a salad every day while there are so plentiful.

**BUTTER PAPER.** Always scrape the paper in which butter or margarine has been wrapped. The papers themselves should be saved for greasing baking dishes or covering food while it is cooking in the oven.

**REMEMBER** that a plate of fresh home-grown fruit (plums for example) makes a refreshing dish. It will save fuel and will help to cut down the nation's consumption of imported food. You can hear other useful time-and-fuel-saving hints on the wireless each morning at 8.15.

THE MINISTRY OF FOOD, LONDON, S.W.1



**IF YOUR BREATH HAS A SMELL YOU CAN'T FEEL WELL**

Unless a pint of bile juice flows from your liver into your bowels every day, your movements get hard and constipated and your food decays unnaturally in your 28 feet of bowels. This decay sends poison all over your body every six minutes. It makes you gloomy, grouchy and no good for anything.

Your friends smell this decay coming out of your mouth and call it bad breath. Laxatives and mouth washes help a little, but you must get at the cause. Take Carters Brand Little Liver Pills. They get those 2 pints of bile flowing freely and then you feel on the "up and up." Ask for Carters Little Liver Pills and get what you ask for. 1/3 and 3/-.



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The truth is that when an old war-horse finds himself out of harness he gets restive.

Without a definite job to do, a retired statesman sees only the blunders, and is angry because he has no opportunity of repairing them.

To my mind, "L.G." should most certainly have been included in the War Cabinet from the start. Mentally, he is still as alert as ever. He has more experience of statesmanship, both in war and peace, than any other man in the world.

Be generous to India, and you would find such a response that the fighting forces of the great dependency—and there are potentially millions of them—would be at our service on battlefields, not and torrid and barren, for which they are much more suited than the grim streets of the industrial North, does not like that kind of world.

"It isn't good enough for my people," he says.

He puts on the airs. He doesn't mix with the "Cocktail Set." Nor does he try to acquire an Oxford accent. He talks in the blunt tones of a Yorkshire lad.

And it is as a man who knows that it is from the mills of Yorkshire and Lancashire the mines of Durham and South



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**B**ELGIUM is dead to the outside world. A curtain of silence hangs all around the country that less than three months ago was pathetically protesting that it wanted nothing more to do with war.

How is Brussels faring since that dreadful May 28 when a stupefied populace heard that King Leopold, the darling of his people, had cravenly surrendered both his army and himself to the German invader?

Brussels is a City of the Dead. The bustling boulevards swarm with arrogant German soldiers and civilians; the once pleasantly Bohemian cafés which flank the sidewalks stand empty except for noisy Nazis who truculently order drinks from the sullen-faced waiters.

Money still circulates. Oh yes, the enemy has got that situation well in hand. Ten Belgian francs (about £s. 9d.) to the German reichsmark (ls.). At that rate, the stout old Fraus from the Fatherland, who have already swarmed into Brussels on the heels of their lords and masters, can live well.

### ARROGANCE

The famous Palace Hotel near the Gare du Nord, used by the German officers in Brussels as their headquarters from 1914-18, once more resounds to the sound of the guttural German tongue. The unending "Jawohl, Herr Major," the smart, heel-clicking N.C.O.s and subalterns to whom the Palace is "verboten."

There is no nonsense about these Nazi officers: they are just as arrogant as were those of the Kaiser.

Down the Boulevard Adolphe Max the Hotel Metropole is filled to bursting point with the civilian "occupant"—the professors and the propagandists, the technical experts and the politicians who are busily engaged in converting Belgium into a German province. You can see them all day driving along the Rue de la Loi, where most of the Government offices are to be

found, in cars that carry the Swastika.

Half the people of Brussels have vanished, heaven knows where. In the best residential districts, such as Boitsfort, Uccle, Stockel, all the way down on that splendid thoroughfare to the old battlefields of Waterloo, there are thousands of empty houses. They are locked up; the furniture remains there, but the owners have fled to France and England.

Week by week the food supplies grow less. Meat is rarely seen and fish not at all. The Ostend trawlers lie in port neglected or have crossed to England. There is not a fisherman who would dare to cast his nets in the mine-infested waters of the Belgian coast.

There is a nine o'clock curfew in every city and a black-out which plunges everything into the deepest darkness. Only in the heavily screened cafés is there any life to be found at night: a few German soldiers, perhaps, and a sprinkling of depressed Belgians talking in whispers.

The shadow of the Gestapo hangs over the whole life of the country. There are 2,000 of them in Brussels, the Himmler men in

I in the Boulevard Adolphe Max the Hotel Metropole (shown above on right) is filled to bursting point with Nazi professors and propagandists.

plain clothes and the sinister-looking S.S. thugs in their black uniforms—the very embodiment of death.

Into Brussels there have poured during the past two months a steady stream of German officials, many of whom were engaged in similar capacity during the previous occupation. And with them they have brought masses of documents which are to put Belgium once more under the long?"

Their appalling plight is for any unfortunate Belgian who shows a glimmer of light.

They never talk about their King, nor of their faint-hearted

Rhineland, train after train comes in to the Gare du Nord, and discharges thousands of them

of the most terrible abuse. Where is Leopold? They don't know, and they don't care. He went after his

surrender to his palace at Laeken, where his mother was living in the dower house. Then he disappeared to a castle at Wartegg, on the pretext that a British aeroplane might drop a bomb on him.

But he still signs royal proclamations, which begin, "We, Leopold."

Belgium lies stricken, silent and stunned.

The people move about still pretending

they are living, but knowing in their hearts that it is nothing but a living death.

Disbanded soldiers loaf around the towns and villages vainly pleading that it was not their fault that the King had so

cravenly thrown them over.

And while all this is continuing,

the enemy is plundering their

land, plundering the art galleries and museums of Brussels and the other big cities, plundering the churches of their priceless pictures and tapestries, plundering the banks and shops. Everything the Belgian wants in future will have to come from Germany. There

are swarms of German travellers from Berlin, Leipzig, Hanover and Dresden offering goods for sale, ersatz clothing, cheap

buxom female Boche to say.

Ostend, Westende, Wenduine

Blankenberghe, Knokke and La

Zoute fairly reel with fat old

fraus and their loud-voiced brats.

Father comes along of a week-end,

casting a cautious eye skyward for

British aeroplanes.

There are no Belgians at these

seaside hotels except the staffs.

Some of the big luxury establish-

ments are naval and military

headquarters, reserved entirely

for the élite. Along the Digue at

Ostend one can see hundreds

of Nazi airmen; nearly all of them

possess motor-cars—looted from

Brussels and paid for with the

invariable kreditkarte.

In medieval Bruges, the head-

quarters of the Flanders naval

staff, the people are well-nigh

starving. For twenty miles around

the farms have been robbed of

everything—cattle, pigs, poultry,

eggs, fruit and vegetables. Ghent,

the site of many aerodromes, resem-

bles a fortress impossible to

enter or leave. Bombing planes

from England are over almost

every night and there is death

keeps them alive.

Priests are in prison as well.

There is hardly a cur in Belgium

free to conduct spiritual work.

The invader remembers too well

how the courageous clergy fought

against him in the Great War.

There is no postal or tele-

graphic service outside the

country nor any telephonic com-

munication inside. Coal and coke

are unprocureable except by

German permit. Belgium is going

to freeze, as well as starve, this

coming winter.

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There are no independent news-

papers in the country. The

Brussels Soir, the leading organ

of the capital, comes out under a

German controller. The Libre

Belgique, that "regularly irregu-

lar" print which so infuriated the

"occupant" during the Great

War, has disappeared, as has the

Independence Belge and the

Nation Belge.

Every suburban kinema in

Brussels has closed its doors. The

nine o'clock curfew and ban on

all foreign pictures has killed their

trade. But in the city itself a

few picture houses keep open.

The films they show come from

Berlin and demonstrate the invi-

cibility of German arms to

say nothing of the humanity.

Hitler kissing babies and Goering

beaming upon a group of

Czech peasants have put the

ordinary gangster pictures right

out of business. But the Bruxellois

don't go to them. Miserably

and Hitler's victory was made secure.

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**I**N HIS FINAL ARTICLE RELATING THE IMMORTAL STORY OF THE EVACUATION OF DUNKIRK, LT.-CMDR. E. KEBLE CHATTERTON TODAY TELLS OF THE FINAL TRIUMPH OF THE MEN OF THE NAVY, OF THE MERCANTILE MARINE, AND OF THE LITTLE SHIPS.

WHEN the last boat sighted the friendly cliffs of Old England it was journey's end. The men of the sea, true to breeding and tradition, had accomplished a feat without compare in the annals of war. Well done!

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corked up. Bombs exploded, Heinkels dived.

Then the harassed captain sighted one of our motor-lifeboats. "Could you get a line on to the stern and give us a pluck off?"

Disregarding all else, the lifeboat dashed into this fiery corner, manoeuvred smartly, made fast the rope, and without snapping a hair of it worked up to full power. The strain was pretty heavy, the minesweeper still reluctant to shift. Then, just as it seemed to hate, she yielded, and out into deeper water was hauled.

But here was the story of a French infantry lieutenant who, with 19 of his men, reached the seafloor to discover the last transport gone and the last destroyer departed. Germans pouring into outskirts. Capture imminent. So what?

The Frenchman glanced round, searched the sands, found a small boat, bundled in, shoved off. Being completely ignorant of nautical matters, they were non-

plussed by wind and tide. Presently the boat was swept alongside the wreck of what once had been a passenger steamer, lying some four miles from the shore.

Not by any means a big ship, but at least her upperworks were well above high-tide. The twenty unfortunates climbed aboard, and then started to endure one of the most pathetic episodes of maritime suffering.

So hard to land, yet so far from safety!

Deprived of food and water, they began to wonder whether their fate as prisoners would not have been better than starvation. Nights became chilly, so they put fire to their boat in order to obtain warmth and in the hope of attracting rescuers.

No luck!

One party resolved to fend for themselves, built a raft, started off, waved farewell. They were never seen again.

More than a week passed. Dunkirk's upheaval had faded into history. They could see the flames and smoke dying down; knew that the Germans would be revelling among the booty. But not a ship now came in this direction.

Seven Frenchmen perished—some by exposure, some by lack of food, but others through that tragic old error of drinking seawater.

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It will end HEARTBURN, FLATULENCE, ULCERATION, PALPITATION, ACIDITY.

*It will make your meals enjoyable and energetic.*

This amazing powder acts in four ways. It instantly neutralises excess acid, easing that horrid burning pain. It places a film of soothing protection over the stomach wall, thus hastening the healing process. It purifies and cleanses the entire system! And it definitely stimulates your natural stomach functions, strengthening and invigorating the whole digestive process.

## RELIEF AT ONCE

Only those who have actually tried MACLEAN BRAND Stomach Powder fully realise the amazing rapidity and effectiveness of its relief. Thousands to-day are well and hearty simply because they resorted to this famous remedy in time.

## THESE LETTERS PROVE IT!

6 Years' Ulcer Ended

Dear Sirs,

I have suffered for over six years with

gastric ulcer and been given an in-patient at a local hospital for treatment. But I still couldn't follow a normal diet.

Then a friend explained what a change a M.A.C. had felt since she had taken MACLEAN BRAND Stomach Powder, and I followed her advice.

I feel a different man altogether now and am being asked what performed the miracle. I never tire of recommending it.

J. W. (Sheffield).

Instant Relief after 2 P.M. Pain

Dear Sirs,

Two years ago I suffered with gastric trouble,

getting worse bad to worse, until a few weeks back I was advised to take MACLEAN BRAND Stomach Powder. Doctor said it would relieve the pain temporarily, but after commencing business again, the agony was unbearable until one day a friend recommended MACLEAN BRAND Stomach Powder.

Since that day I have been able

to eat anything and enjoy it without any further trouble.

D. W. (Cambridge).

NOW—LET THIS GREAT OFFER CONVINCE YOU

Get a 13 bottle of MACLEAN BRAND Stomach Powder and if it doesn't give you relief send the empty carton back to MacLean Ltd., Great West Rd., Brentford, and 2/- our money will be refunded in full.

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"MAN O' THE PEOPLE" writes on "Things That Matter"

# Let's Talk it Over

"THREE of theirs for each of ours!" That seems to be the steady "rate of exchange" established by the R.A.F. in dealing with the Nazi air fleets. What splendid lads they must be who are manning our warplanes! Every time they engage the enemy or speed with clockwork precision to bomb remote targets in heavily defended areas they are risking their lives. They do so as a matter-of-course; just as part of the job. Heroism is a commonplace to them. To us it should always remain a matter of pride and lasting gratitude.

But human memory is notoriously short, and many of the heroes of the last war were forgotten almost as soon as we had settled back into the comfortable ways of peace. God forbid that we should ever forget the heroes of this one or fail them when they, too, return to civilian life.

I have mentioned the flying men in particular because, at this stage in the Battle of Britain, they must play the leading and most spectacular rôle.

Yet the work of the Navy and, indeed, of all who sail the perilous seas in our cause calls for no less devotion and courage.

And, when the appointed hour strikes, the Army and, I believe, the civilian population, too, will give proof of equal valour.

IT is good news that the Government has at last decided to raise the pay of all soldiers below commissioned rank. The extra sixpence a day, which they are soon to draw, may in some part make up to them for the increased prices of beer, tobacco and cigarettes, postage stamps, and so on.

Clearly something had to be done to meet a genuine grievance. The Navy gets its tobacco duty free, and so do the soldiers when they are overseas.

To deprive some men of this privilege simply because they are now called to the defence of their own country was absurd and unjust.

The flat-rate increase is certainly the best way to solve the general problem. It is no more than a deserved bonus for the extra cost of living, and the country will not grudge the expense.

AS these notes are written there is still no definite indication as to the date of Hitler's threatened invasion, nor any certainty, for that matter, that it will ever take place.

But there are many signs that violent storms of one kind or another are about to break upon us.

The heavy and sustained attack upon our convoys, which I had in mind when writing the opening paragraphs, was upon a bigger scale than anything previously attempted, and, though we scored a decisive victory in the air, the Germans sank five ships, two by air attack and three by motor torpedo boats, and did considerable damage to some others.

Heavy and still more frequent attacks upon shipping are no doubt, to be anticipated. We cannot prevent them, but as the Navy and the Air Force have proved, we shall make them terribly costly to the enemy.

For even if Goering's air force were as large as his boasts, it cannot afford to lose more than 60 planes and, perhaps, two or three times that number of trained pilots in one-day battles.

MORE exasperating than any other enemy move of recent weeks is the Italian advance in British Somaliland. Mussolini cannot gain much material benefit from this invasion, but at least it will give him something to write home about.

And the unpleasant fact has to be faced that, whether this largely desert country is worth defending or not, we are not at present in a position to defend it against greater superior forces.

"Man o' the People" has always been somewhat suspicious of bland communiqués which suggest that, after we have held a given position for some time and then withdrawn from it, we have lost nothing much more than "a collection of mud huts" scarcely worth defending at all.

The truth is—and we may as well face it—that the Italians in this region vastly outnumber our own troops and that they are making a bid, not so much for conquest, as for prestige.

STORM signals come from other quarters beside Somaliland. The Japanese are no less truculent now than they were immediately after we closed the Burma Road.

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reasons for his confidence," and all of us must have wished so too.

At least we do know, however, that Britain's defences are immeasurably stronger than they were. But I could wish that our leaders talked rather less of them—and of Germany's real, or fondly fancied, difficulties—and rather more about our own active preparations to strike back at the enemy and to strike hard.

For I am convinced that we are making such preparations and that we are just as likely to spring a surprise on Hitler as he is to spring a surprise on us!

MEANWHILE, home affairs occupy a large part of Parliament's time—as, indeed, they ought to do—and I observe with some anxiety that while politicians keep on taking fresh powers to control the public, they also neglect to use some of those which they already possess and which, it seems, they could use to immediate advantage.

Mr. Bevin, for instance, complains that a minority of employers are slow to set up training establishments in their own works.

Everybody knows that we need a great many more skilled, or semi-skilled, workers and the only way to get them is to train them "on the job."

Now the Minister of Labour has power to compel employers to co-operate in the Government's training schemes. He threatens to use it, if that co-operation is not forthcoming.

It is to be hoped that the threat will not hang fire. In industry, as in war, "ultimatums" need to be short-lived.

WHEN it comes to controlling ordinary people, like you and me, as distinct from "big people" like the great industrialists and financiers, the Government seems much more ready to take vigorous and immediate action.

But not always, I fancy, to the best effect. I

LOOK FACTS IN THE FACE, AND YOU'LL SOON STARE THEM OUT OF COUNTENANCE.

## CIGARETTE PAPERS

WHEN evil sets the world afire, we've all got to do a fireman's job.

Courage is the searchlight that will show up the enemy's weak spots.

TODAY'S PROVERB

What's fate may have in store  
Must make every man prepared;  
We cannot all be heroes, but  
We can at least be steady.

LITTLE ALFIE ON "SAVING OUR BACON"

I have sang the praises of Cows, and very glad I am to do so, for they are Grade A animals same as its best milk. But I can be equally enthusiastic about our Pal the Porker "the fat little pig with the tail that wags." I mean the tale that is permanently waved.

In fact, when I think about breakfast, bacon is a very nice bit of join of pork, very tasty, very sweet and crackly, very crispy, very brown, and pigs' fry and even bread-and-jippo. I think I could eat all over poetic, and wax proper harricke, which wud be a mighty fine dish.

Strat, there's something about a pig worth getting excited over. Sum people of limited intelligence are like Our Friend Francis, will go all sorts and suppose about you or yourself or Mr. Gary Grant. But what's the use of that sort of thing, when you want bacon and eggs for breakfast?

And my, I'm not a very picky pig.

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It isn't merely stuff to eat, neither,

it's a bit funny.

doubt, for example, whether any special powers to prosecute and to fine, or even to jail, private individuals will do much to reduce the total volume of waste.

It is true that Mr. Robert Boothby, Parliamentary Secretary to the Ministry of Food, said in announcing the new Anti-Waste Order, that there would be no "Boothby snoopers to spy on housewives."

It is also to be supposed, from what he said, that the Order is not intended to encourage a flood of prosecutions of harmless people. One might almost think, indeed, that Mr. Boothby was announcing penalties which would never be enforced except in extreme cases!

If so, was it necessary to impose them? I merely ask the question because I am always suspicious of any legislation which restricts individual liberty and threatens the privacy of our very homes.

Example, let it be remembered, is always better than precept, and in the matter of waste it cannot be said for a moment that Government Departments or the Services have set us a good one.

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"Big Money" Lags Behind

# STATE NEEDS CASH

Have You  
News Of  
These?

THE PEOPLE regrets that so many requests have been received that it has been found impossible to print particulars of Service men missing and of those desiring information concerning them.

Much as we desire to help, to print only a selection of those received would be unfair to the majority, and to print ALL would be impossible in the now limited space at our disposal.

We ask, therefore, all those who have written to accept this expression of regret, together with our hope that they may have good news of their relatives and friends through official channels.

All photographs sent to us of missing Service men are being returned.

## "TOUGH GUYS" MUST HELP MORE

SPECIAL TO "THE PEOPLE"

THE "BIG-MONEY" PEOPLE ARE NOT LENDING AS MUCH TO THE NATIONAL WAR EFFORT AS THEY SHOULD. BUT THE "LITTLE PEOPLE" —THOSE WITH SMALL OR MODERATE INCOMES—

ARE DOING ADMIRABLY.

Total lendings, since the Savings Campaign began, amount to £756,000,000, of which "little investors" and people who have lent money free have provided about one-half.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer is giving special attention to the "big money" weak link in the lending chain and fresh measures are likely to be taken soon.

They are expected to take the form of:

A personal appeal by the Chancellor to every millionaire and big financial establishment to invest more of their money in the 2½ per cent. National War Bonds that are being kept partially "on tap."

Consideration of an alternative form of investment, with a longer term.

Following Sir Robert Kindersley's attack on the "won't lend tough

guys" of the Midlands and North who pay more attention to profit and loss account than to the needs of their country, a Special Committee of financiers has been set up in the City of London to try to urge more wholehearted investment in the 2½ per cent. War Bonds.

Mr. W. M. Goodenough, deputy chairman of Barclay's Bank, is

totalled £7,931,473.

Of this £3,131,573 was from the sale of Savings Certificates, £2,995,000 Defence Bonds and £1,804,000 increase in deposits with the Post Office and Trustee Savings Banks.

chairman of this committee, and the members include Lord Plender, Lord Ebbisham, Sir Maurice Jenkins, acting Lord Mayor of London, Mr. G. Catterns, deputy governor of the Bank of England, and Mr. R. B. Fenton.

The "big money" people, for whom these 2½ per cent. War Bonds were designed, have so far only subscribed £130,000,000.

On the other hand, the small investors (though over a longer period, of course) have lent £313,000,000 through increased deposits in the Post Office Savings Bank, purchase of small Defence Bonds, and War Savings Certificates.

Patriotic citizens who have offered their money free of interest to the State have subscribed £13,000,000. And the 3 per cent. War Loan, issued last March, provided £300,000,000.

BOB'S HER RADIO UNCLE!

BOB BYRON, American radio singer, has found a home in the States for Diane, the seven-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Bush, who live in a small English town.

Mr. and Mrs. Bush used to listen in to Bob Byron's radio programmes, and long before the war they were keen admirers of his programmes.

Not long ago, Bob received a letter from Mrs. Bush, explaining that her husband is a submarine coxswain, and they both wished to find a safe home for their small daughter.

Bob found a wealthy couple who are willing to adopt the child. They live in Forest Hills and have no children of their own.

## "The People's" Secret Service News

HITLER has opened new negotiations with the Pope with a view to bringing about a reconciliation between the Vatican and the Reich. Letters and memoranda have been exchanged, and a Nazi diplomat is having frequent interviews at the Vatican with one of the cardinal diplomats.

The Fuehrer recognises that it will strengthen his position enormously, both inside Germany and outside, if he can settle outstanding differences. But whether he will keep any promises he has made, after he has tried to use the Pope for his own purposes, is another matter.

HITLER's policy of sending "blonde beauties" to occupied France to vampires, mayors and prefects into pro-Germanism—reported in this column a few weeks ago—has been followed by a similar promise.

Many mayors and M.P.s there have been getting awkward, and refusing to acquiesce in the Nazi methods of administration. Women German agents are now to see what influence they can bring to bear.

BALDUR VON SCHIRACH, formerly Nazi Youth Leader,

now concentrated in Galicia, the north-western province of Spain. Ostensibly civilians, they are all trained troops. More than one-half of them stayed there after fighting in the civil war. Others have gone there during recent months as tourists.

They have, hidden away, sufficient war material—also accumulated during the civil war—to enable them, at a given moment, to form an expeditionary force.

At An  
Eton  
Wedding



Some of the bridesmaids and tiny attendants at the marriage yesterday of Miss Helena Lyttelton to Mr. Peter Lawrence at Eton School Chapel.

R.A.F. Bombs Start Mutterings Against Hitler

# HAMBURG PEOPLE FLEE

## Reds Defy Gestapo

BY OUR DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENT

THE BUSIEST RAILWAY LINE IN GERMANY TODAY IS THE ONE RUNNING FROM HAMBURG TO PRAGUE. EXTRA TRAINS HAVE HAD TO BE PUT ON. EVERYONE WHO CAN FLEE FROM HAMBURG IS GETTING AWAY FROM THE ALMOST NIGHTLY HAVOC BY THE R.A.F.

Scores of thousands of people have already left and Hitler wants many more to go.

He has a special reason—a political one. He is afraid of the public repercussions that are following the failure of the German Air Forces to keep out our persistent and deadly bombers.

ABUSE OF NAZIS

Cosmopolitan Hamburg, largest of German seaports, has always had a high proportion of Communists and free-thinkers. Now they are coming more into the open.

Vitriolic abuse of the Nazi leaders for not saving the people from the British bombers is so widespread that the Gestapo dare not arrest the ringleaders.

Hitler believes that as more and more of the population leave the city, the nest of anti-Nazis will become less menacing.

He does not forget it was

around Hamburg and Wilhelmsburg that the revolt started in the last war which pushed the Kaiser off his throne.

Hamburgers are being encouraged to evacuate to Prague and other Czech cities rather than to places in Germany. It would not suit Hitler's book to have the damage to Hamburg broadcast over Germany by streams of evacuees.

This is also the reason why Hitler won't allow any large-scale evacuation of the Ruhr and Rhineland.

Burgomasters in the areas plastered by R.A.F. bombs have pleaded in vain. Industrialists have been told to face the risks instead of setting up factories elsewhere.

Local newspapers that began to run campaigns for evacuation have been suppressed.

Morale in the Ruhr and Rhine land, as in Hamburg, is bad. Hitler dare not allow it to spread.

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One officer arrived in Sweden wearing a frock coat with the tails cut off, and another wore a butcher's smock.

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Our Arctic B.E.F.

## ESCAPED ICY TORRENTS

THROUGH Arctic snow and ice, 125 British soldiers have just finished a 9,000 miles journey that has brought them safely back to a South of England camp.

They are men, more than half of them Territorials, who fought in Norway, escaped to Sweden and have now been repatriated.

Major D. C. Tennent, York and Lancaster Regt., who brought the men home, described the privations they faced in Norway.

Many of them, he said, took a month to cover an average distance of 150 miles. They had to swim across rivers which melting snow had turned into raging torrents, and were often thigh deep in snow.

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## EXPORTERS SHOW THE FLAG

BRADFORD textile firm is brightening its export packing cases with a stencilled reproduction of the Union Jack above the slogan "British Delivers the Goods."

The Board of Trade suggest that the idea should be adopted by thousands of other exporters.

It provides visual proof abroad that while German and Italian seaborne trade is at a standstill, Hitler's boasts of blocking Britain are simply untrue.

FIRST BRITISH CHILD EVACUEES ARRIVE AT RIO

Rio de Janeiro, Saturday.

THE first 79 British children to be evacuated to South America arrived at Rio de Janeiro aboard the Royal Mail steamer Highland Brigade today.

Thirty of the children will stay at Rio and the other 49 will go to Buenos Aires.—B.U.P.

## He Chose Prison

## Driver "Saved From Himself"

A MOTORIST who said he was prepared to go to a prison rather than pay a fine of 18s. for leaving a car without a light, was yesterday "saved from himself" by the Marylebone magistrate.

He was Harry Arthur, of Sussex-gdns., Hyde Park, and he appeared on a means inquiry warrant to show why he should not pay the fine imposed on June 24.

Stating that he was at the War Office when the summons was heard, Arthur pleaded he had had no chance of appeal to the magistrate.

£2 FOUND ON HIM

The car was left in a private road, and since then an exactly similar summons in respect of the same car had been dismissed.

He had written to the Home Secretary saying he would abide by his ruling.

The Magistrate (Mr. Dunne) said he had no desire to send Arthur to prison, but process had to be enforced. He much preferred that the fine should be paid.

Later, Station-Sergeant Pegler reported that £2 had been found on Arthur, and he asked the magistrate in regard to it.

Mr. Dunne directed that the amount of the fine should be taken, saying: "I must save him from himself."

## EVACUATED CHILDREN HEALTHIER

HEALTH of Hornsey schoolchildren has greatly improved since they were evacuated.

In some cases the improvement has been striking, states Dr. R. P. Garrow, Hornsey school medical officer, in his annual report.

"Factors contributing to this," Dr. Garrow says, "are greater freedom and exercise available in the country, more regular hours in bed, and the heart becomes steady, the arteries supple, skin troubles clear up, leg wounds heal naturally and cure faster, and rheumatism, in all its forms is literally swept out of the system. This is most remarkable, although the relief does seem magical; it is the natural result of Elasto."

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A GREAT many people today suffer from constipation. Yet very few know the real cause of this wretched complaint.

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Many people rely on purgatives to give them relief from constipation. But this relief is only temporary, because purgatives cannot get at the cause of the trouble. You soon need another purgative. This is dangerous! Purgatives bring about a movement by shocking the bowel, and constantly shocking the bowel may lead to serious harm. You may even have to undergo a serious operation.

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The safe, sure way to relieve constipation is to get bulk into your daily diet. That is why doctors today recommend Kellogg's All-Bran, a natural bulk food. All-Bran is not a drug, merely a delicious crisp breakfast food that you'll enjoy eating. Because it supplies the bulk that muscles need to hold all. All-Bran brings about a normal, natural movement.

Hundreds of thousands of men and women have found relief from constipation simply by eating All-Bran regularly every morning. Many of these men and women have tried countless remedies in vain, yet when they started to eat All-Bran they soon found normal regularity.

All-Bran will bring relief to you, too. If you have any difficulty in keeping regular, eat All-Bran every morning for breakfast. Eat it with milk and sugar or sprinkled over your usual breakfast food. Do this, drink plenty of fluids, and you can say goodbye to constipation. You'll be gloriously healthy—full of life and vigour that come only from perfect regularity. Get Kellogg's All-Bran from your grocer today. 7d. a packet.



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# ALL in a PICKLE

## Tempt Him with a Carrot

By "HOUSEWIFE"

DOCTORS tell us we can't eat too many carrots. They have got that extra dose of sunshine vitamin in them which keeps us fit and active. They are such a pretty vegetable, too, that few children can resist them either raw or cooked. What is your carrot secret—scraped raw for breakfast instead of marmalade, carrot jam, or with salt beef? You can serve them with a nice onion or cold in a salad.

There are hundreds of nice ways of serving up a carrot. Write yours on a postcard and send it to Housewife, "The People," Acme House, Long Acre, London, W.C.2, to arrive not later than Wednesday, August 14. Five shillings will be paid for all recipes published.

Here are last week's prize winners:

#### RED CHUTNEY

INGREDIENTS: 1 lb. ripe red tomatoes, 1 lb. juicy green cooking apples, 1 lb. onions and 1 lb. garlic. 1 lb. sugar, 1 lb. vinegar, 1 teaspoonful cayenne pepper, 1 teaspoonful mustard, 1 teaspoonful salt, 1 teaspoonful mixed spice, 1 pint vinegar.

Method: Wash and clean. Put all ingredients into a preserving pan and boil for 10 minutes. Put into hot jars. Tie down when cold.—Mrs. F. Bradford, 8, Bylburghgate-st., Beccles, Suffolk.

#### SWEET PICKLE

PUT 2 lb. of peeled apples, 1 lb. of stoned raisins and 1 lb. of peeled onions into a preserving pan and boil until soft. Add 10 oz. of brown sugar, 2 teaspoonsfuls each of dry mustard, pepper and salt, and a pint and a half vinegar. Cover the top with a lid and simmer for 10 minutes. Cut into strips about half an inch in width, sort out, and keep in a bag until you've acquired enough for a pickle.

FILLINGS for cushions and eiderdowns can be made from old stockings. Cut them off at the toe and turn them inside out. Place them in hot water for a few seconds, slice them. Peel and core apples and cut them also.

Chop them nice and fine. Put all ingredients into a preserving pan and boil for 10 minutes. Put into hot jars. Tie down when cold.—Mrs. F. Bradford, 8, Bylburghgate-st., Beccles, Suffolk.

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You get burning pain and distressing wind after meals because your stomach is always too acid. Food can't digest and your stomach is tortured in the attempt. Why endure this meantime? Take 1/2 oz. of Magnesia and it will stop it this very day. They relieve acidity and soothe a sour stomach at once. The stomach starts digesting your food right away and you feel well with perfect ease. You feel nothing—no heartburn, no flatulence, no twinge of your old stomach pain. If you suffer from acute gastritis, take 1/2 oz. of Magnesia and tablets will stop them in a few minutes. Try them today! Neat flat boxes for the pocket, 6d. and 1/- Also family sizes 2/- and 3/- Obtainable everywhere.

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Fashionable shoes greatly improve your appearance, but high heels put weight on the toes, often causing corns, aching insteps and ankles.

To wear the smartest shoes in comfort give your feet the benefit of this wonderful Zam-Buk Ointment. The refined herbal oils in Zam-Buk are easily absorbed. Thus pain and inflammation are quickly relieved, corns are removed; blisters and chafing are healed, and your feet are made happy again.

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# Pension Increases For 1,000,000 Old People

## You Can Appeal If Application Is Rejected

SPECIAL TO "THE PEOPLE"

OLD-AGE PENSIONERS WHO READ IN "THE PEOPLE" ABOUT THE INCREASED PENSIONS FOR WHICH THEY COULD APPLY HAVE DONE WELL FOR THEMSELVES.

"The People" gave more publicity to this scheme than any other newspaper, and one of the results has been that—

On Thursday and Friday nearly 1,000,000 old people drew their first week's pension at the increased rate.

The pension dated from Monday last, and will be paid weekly until further notice.

In many cases, old people living alone have had their 10s. a week pension increased to 19s. 6d., sometimes with a further allowance to compensate them for specially high rents.

Similarly, old couples have had their joint 10/- raised to 35. 00.

Others, having private incomes of varying amounts, or receiving help from sons and daughters at home, have had increases of 3s. 6d., 5s. and 7s. a week.

About 350,000 applicants have had their applications turned down, on the ground that their incomes lift them above the requisite level.

But they still have a week within which to appeal. With the notification rejecting their application, they received an appeal form and an envelope addressed to the appeals officer.

If they feel they have a grievance, they can lodge their appeal any time this week and it will go before an appeals tribunal.

Pensioners who feel that the amount of the supplementary pension granted is lower than it should be, can also appeal against the amount, without prejudicing the awards already made.

Moreover, if the family income is reduced in the future, a pensioner can apply for a higher allowance.

All fruit picked will be sent to the local camps of H.M. Forces.

RED CROSS £2,551,000

Last week the Lord Mayor's Red Cross and St. John Fund rose by nearly £30,000, and it now stands at £2,551,000.

### Points to remember in choosing food for emergencies

IN choosing food for use in emergencies, there are essential points to remember.

FIRST—it must provide for everyone's needs—from the youngest to the oldest members of your household.

SECOND—the food you choose



must be highly nourishing and sustaining—useful alike in health or sickness.

THIRD—it must keep. Foods that deteriorate quickly or are easily contaminated are wasteful.

FOURTH—it must require little or no cooking or other preparation. Gas and electricity supplies may not be available; at times food may be needed in a hurry.



A cup of Horlicks at bedtime soothes and relaxes tense nerves and brings sound, restful sleep.

Just because each of these points is of essential importance, many experienced housewives are putting Horlicks first on their list of essential requirements. A stand-by in peace-time, you can rely on Horlicks to keep your family going even under the most drastic war conditions! This is why:

Horlicks is one of the most nourishing foods there are, made from rich, full-cream milk, wheat, and malted barley; yet it is so digestible that it suits people of all ages from infancy onwards. Because of its wide utility it is extensively used in civil and military hospitals.

But no less important are the "keeping" qualities of Horlicks. It will keep indefinitely in the

1. In place of milk for tea, coffee, cocoa, etc.—mix Horlicks to consistency of thin cream or stir the powder direct into the hot beverage, using a dry spoon each time.

2. Instead of SUGAR on porridge or breakfast cereals.

3. Sprinkle dry on bread and butter or biscuits.

### Home Service

- 6.5 a.m.—News in Norwegian.  
7.0—Time: News.  
7.30—Records.  
8.0—Harold Hunt, at the Theatre Organ.  
8.0—Time: News.  
8.15—Records.  
8.20—Organ Voluntary.  
8.30—Organ Recital; Address by Rev. H. E. B. Murray.  
10.15—Records.  
10.30—White You Work: Jan Berenska and His Orchestra.  
11.0—Things That Go Wrong in the House.  
11.15—W. Mathew.  
11.30—New Zealand Band.  
12.0—Piano.  
12.30 noon—London Palladium Orchestra.  
12.30—G. Freeman's Music—6, by Sir Walford Davies.  
1.0—Time: News.  
1.30—Claydon Quintet.  
2.15—In Your Garden, by Roy Hay. Programme: Eva Turner (soprano).
- 3.00—A Talk to Dorothy L. Sayers.  
3.30—B.B.C. Military Band.  
3.45—The Solemn Musick, from a cathedral in Scotland.  
3.50—News in Welsh.  
3.55—Time: News.  
3.58—Records.

### TODAY'S RADIO

- 6.30—News in Norwegian.  
6.45—In It Together—Africa: Noel Barber interviewing three speakers from the 7.0—String Quartet.  
7.0—Farewell! Tick-Tock: An account of 7.30—A new interval signal.  
7.30—Organ Voluntary.  
8.0—Service: Address by Rev. Pat McCormick.  
8.45—The National Anthem of the Allies.  
9.0—B.B.C. Orchestra (Section B).  
9.30—B.B.C. Standard and Celia Johnson in the last act of *Johnson Over Jordan* by J. B. Priestley.  
10.30—Reginald Foote at the Theatre Organ.  
11.00—B.B.C. Salon Orchestra.  
12.00—Time: News.  
12.30-12.30 a.m.—News in Norwegian.
- 1.15—Very Tasty—Very Sweet: No. 4.  
1.40—Looking for Christ—2.  
2.10—H. Crofton at the Theatre Organ.  
2.30—Records.  
3.0—Music While You Work: Reg Purseglove and His Orchestra.  
3.30—Scots Music: Albert Dewar (tenor).  
4.45—Home Service.  
4.50—An English Entertainer: A camp con-  
cert performed and presented by officers and men of the Royal Air Force, somewhere in the U.S.A.  
5.0—Time: Jack Frere and His Orchestra.  
5.40—Exeter Male Voice Choir.  
5.50—News in Dutch and French.  
6.30—Standard Time: News for Canada.  
7.0—Weekly News-Letter.  
7.15—Radio Orange: A programme in Dutch under the auspices of the Dutch Government.  
7.30—The Sunday Half-Hour, from a Northern Free Church: Community Hymn-Singing, followed by a Report Service, conducted by Rev. Bertram Jones.  
8.0—Dreamy Hush, with Three in Harmony.  
8.15—Music from America.  
8.30—Ici la France: A French programme.  
9.0—News in German.  
9.15—Hi-Yang: With Bebe Daniels, Vic Oliver, Ben Lyon, D. Wilbur and His Orchestra, the Greene Sisters, Sam Browne.  
9.30—Time: Epilogue.  
10.0—Time: and his Mandolins, with Percy Manchester.  
10.30—Records.  
10.30 p.m. to 12.30 a.m.—Home Service.

### For The Forces

- 6.15 a.m.—News in French.  
7.0—Home Service.  
7.30—Organ Voluntary.  
8.0—Time: News.  
8.30—B.B.C. Indian Forces.  
8.45—Time: Services.  
9.0—B.B.C. Home Service.  
9.15—Time: News in French.  
10.0—B.B.C. Variety Orchestra.  
10.30—News in Dutch.

## Raiders Machine-Gun Workmen

EN WORKING ON BUILDINGS NEAR A SOUTH-EAST TOWN YESTERDAY MORNING WERE MACHINE-GUNNED BY A LONE GERMAN RAIDER WHICH WAS CHASED AWAY BY R.A.F. FIGHTERS.

This raider dropped 12 high-explosive bombs. Some fell in open country, others in the grounds of an institution and near buildings. There were some casualties. Hundreds of windows of houses and shops in a North-East Coast town were shattered by the blast of four explosions. Roofs were stripped.

A plane had been heard over the town for a considerable time. Searchlights failed to pick it up, and the noise of the engine faded.

Explosions were heard, and then the noise of the plane was heard again. Blast carried wreckage into a road.

Several people were slightly injured by flying glass, and some houses were made temporarily uninhabitable.

### HOUSE HIT

During Friday night five out of 12 bombs dropped over another South-east coast town fell in a residential area.

One hit a house occupied by Mr. and Mrs. Thornley. Mrs. Thornley was just leaving the bathroom when most of the house collapsed. She was buried under the wreckage, with the bath nearly on top of her. Firemen sawed away joists to get her out. She suffered only from shock.

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—THAT CRIPPLES YOU!  
—HINDERS YOUR WORK  
—AND PREVENTS SLEEP!

Have you open wounds that send you nearly mad with pain? Is your leg raw, sore, inflamed, and burning? Do you suffer from dry scaly Eczema, or Psoriasis? Is there weeping Eczema, rawness, inflammation, or unbearable itchiness and irritation? Have you varicose veins, causing swelling, tiredness, heaviness or pain?

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There IS treatment that will quickly heal your leg. You can have a sound healthy leg. You can have a clear healthy skin. Stop that pain! Stop that itching. Stop that tiredness. The cure you have sought for years is here now. Grasp this great opportunity and a new vista opens out for you—No more worry about your leg—No more anxiety about your skin. You can get about again in comfort and with pleasure.

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## LEG ULCERATION. Its cause and cure

Ulcers often start from a knock or a scratch. The hurt, instead of healing becomes inflamed and painful. Pus forms which poisons the skin and connective tissue. This quickly becomes unhealthy and breaks down. The wound gets bigger, more inflamed, and more painful. Often the pain is like a knife or hot needle in the leg. Sufferers do not know what is best to do; resting does not give any relief—sleep is impossible. Ordinary remedies are useless. Stock ointments are simply a waste of time and money. To cure these painful inflamed traumatic ulcers proper individual treatment is a necessity. With Varicose Veins in the leg, ulcers frequently break out without any injury at all. A small black speck appears on the skin. It is a small clot of unhealthy blood thrown out by the capillary veins. As the clot comes away, a hole only the size of a pin-head is left in the skin. This ulcer is not to be ignored as a trifling matter. If neglected that small ulcer will rapidly become the size of a two-shilling piece or even the size of the hand. The blood clots show unhealthy blood, weak veins, bad circulation, congested tissues, all of which prevent normal healing from taking place. One preparation cannot heal all these different disease conditions. Thorough Treatment to clear the blood, restore the veins, improve the circulation and disperse the congestion is what you need. Write to the National Infirmary at once.

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"I'm not aware that I've asked anything about yourself," he said. "I'm now about Mavis, who I understand is the only saleable work in the studio. She, presumably, has been rejected, or they wouldn't be hanging there."

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That was too much. Leonora put her hands on her hips and stared at him.

"You're asking yourself, Mr. Trearyn," she burst out indignantly.

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Ruan was surprised to see her move towards the door. "It's past nine," he said. "I've had a very long day. With your permission, Mr. Trearyn, I propose to go to bed."

"Lordy! Now I've offended you, and I suppose you'll walk out on me tomorrow!" He got up and stood beside her to his surprise.

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## HERE, THERE AND ANY OLD WHERE

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That's about a million tons to start with, and in addition Adolf's cupids, Musso, has sunk the Ark Royal and the Hood several times.

WHO is this Professor Faceache?

"Who is Professor Faceache? My dear Chipperfield, where have you been hiding your bushel?"

But there, perhaps as he doesn't know who Faceache is, there may be others. Maybe I had better tell his story. I don't think I have told it before. I hope I never remember what I write in this foolishness week after week. It would take up a good lot of space.

The Professor is one of the Fakenham Faceaches—a very old and famous family. I do not want you to mix them up with the Leyton Faceaches, who, as that great historian, Adair Dighton, told you in his book, "Adair Dighton Underworld," are neither old nor famous.

There was once an entertaining moment at a meeting of the Fakenham City Council, when the Lord Mayor, with great gusto, proposed a slogan to popularise the city. It was:

Come to Lovely Fackenham,

Home of the Famous Faceaches.

Councillor Vinegar, who is good at growing rhubarb and nothing else, got up and said: "Man and boy I've lived at Fakenham 73 years, and be danged to all of you" and sat down.

Several members coughed vehemently, and the Lord Mayor said he didn't quite see what Councillor Vinegar's remarks had to do with it. They were irrelevant. Nobody had disputed the fact that the Councillor had lived there 73 years man and boy.

"And I've grown some lovely rhubarb in me time," retorted Councillor Vinegar.

But that has nothing to do with our slogan," said the Lord Mayor.

Well, who said it had?" said Councillor Vinegar.

And Councillor Fred Whistle, Councillor Vinegar's neighbour, got up and said: "That's right, Reuben, stand up to 'em." With that the Council adjourned.

Faceache Sets  
Out in Life

ALL of which has little to do with the history of Professor Faceache, which I will now continue.

Roderick Faceache was the favourite son of Sir Roger Faceache, there being no other children, and in turn he (the son) was educated at Eton and Erksford, and thus he set out to earn a living under all possible disadvantages.

But, fond father as Sir Roger was, after he had settled four lots of Varsity debts of his son's, each whack larger than its forerunner, he cut his son off with a shilling, or whatever it is fathers cut sons off with.

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THEY'RE doing it in the Home Guard—they're doing it in the defence service, they're doing it on the cricket fields of England.

Who are doing what? Why, the old-timers, of course. Thousands of them. There are none other than our old friend Frank Woolley who is in the news.

Frank, at fifty-three years of age, was bowling again in the Home Guard when he captained London Counties against a British Empire eleven.

Alarmed at the free run-getting of the Empire opening pair, Parslow and Nelson, who had put on 100, Woolley took the ball—and out went Nelson. Later, when young Parslow had the last laugh, he took a wicket, and the Empire eleven, with 16 clubs, were beaten.

Woolley ended his day by toppling the Empire's opening pair, Parslow and Nelson, who had put on 100, 2 for 23 for the British Empire declar-ing with 308 on the board.

But Dennis had the last laugh. He took a wicket, and the Empire eleven, with 16 clubs, were beaten.

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When Norway protested against this visit, made for no valid reason, the German answer was that the Leipzig had come to the help of the Kola.

The same year Norwegian waters had similar visits from smaller naval units, and at the end of April an extensive German naval and air exercise was seen immediately outside territorial waters.

**MARKING A CHANNEL**

Parallel with these manoeuvres along the Norwegian coast practice attacks were going on through the Sound. On May 31, 32 German warships, preceded by 25 fast motor-boats to mark the channel, steamed up through the Little Belt.

The Danish Government at that time—the summer of 1938—had ceased making even formal protests in Berlin against recurring sea and air exercises in Danish waters.

To what extent the Danish Government had already then undertaken to keep the Sound open in the event of war can possibly be left to a future historian to find out.

Preparations for the establishment of the Skagerrak front appear, however, to have been ready at that time.

**SECURE BASE LAID**

Plans for the attack on Denmark and Norway had probably been worked out to the smallest detail. Through thorough work and repeated exercises the German naval and air force officers had laid a secure base for Germany's military supremacy of the Danish and Norwegian coasts.

The German officers' work has borne fruit to a degree which perhaps exceeds even their own expectations.

**HOME OFFICE AND INTERNEES**

The Home Office Department which will deal with the work arising out of the Government's decision transferring from the War Office to the Home Office responsibility for the civilian internment camps, has been established at Scotland House, Victoria Embankment, S.W.1.

Letters should be sent to the Under-Secretary of State, Home Office, S.E.1, at this address.

This Department will be concerned with conditions in civilian internment camps, including arrangements for communications with and visiting internees. An inquiry office will be opened tomorrow at St Stephen's House, Westminster.

**FAIR EXCHANGE!**

This Cheltenham farmer has hit upon a novel way to get scraps to feed his chickens.

**Father And Five Sons In Army**

CAPTAIN A. W. COOPER, of Birling, Kent, who served 38 years in the Army and now commands a company of the Home Guard, has five sons with the Forces.

One of them, Observer-Sergt. G. Cooper, R.A.F., has just been awarded the Distinguished Flying Medal.

**WIRES" TO TROOPS IN THE EAST**

*Special to "The People"*

THE War Office announces that as from August 12, 1940, facilities will be provided by which the officially nominated nearest relative or friend of officers and men serving in Malta, Egypt, Palestine, Cyprus, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, Aden and East Africa will be able to send to them private telegrams of an urgent character at ordinary inland rates.

These concession telegrams will be limited to not more than two a month for any one sender.

They must be handed in at a post office in the United Kingdom on a special form to be obtained on application in writing, as follows:

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(B) Applications by next of kin of other ranks.—Letters should be addressed to the Officer I.C. Records of the unit concerned, whose address is obtainable from any police station.

**NAZI THREAT TO THE NEW WORLD**

AMERICA TO STOP SUPPLIES TO BRITAIN. SEVERAL MILLION NAZIS IN AMERICA WILL BE CALLED UPON TO MAKE TROUBLE WHENEVER NECESSARY.

Nor is Hitler's plan dependent on an indefinite postponement of the invasion of Britain. It is not impossible that mass air and submarine attacks may be made on this country to allow his other moves to be attempted with the minimum of opposition. Much, of course, depends on the present Italian drive in the Near East and Africa.

**NAZI FAILURE**

But there is another side—the British side—Hitler's grand ideas. More details than can be revealed here are well known to the Government.

So far as Britain is concerned when, a day or two ago, the First Lord of the Admiralty emphasised that we were ready for any German move anywhere, he meant exactly what he said.

In addition two important factors are operating on Germany which point to the joining of my new scheme Hitler may devise either now or in the future.

First is the absolute failure of Nazi efforts to break our nerve, weaken our will to win, slow down our war effort and stop supplies from U.S.A.

Second factor is the dead-on-the-target successes of the persistent R.A.F. attacks whether defending or attacking. Even the Gestapo cannot hide the fact that one of the German people's strongest moral supports has been torn away from under them—their childlike belief in the invincibility of the German Air Force.

**SOWING FOR VICTORY**

Melbourne, Saturday. The Commonwealth Government has decided to extend an experimental area for flax growing by 12,000 acres in the hope that the flax industry will be developed in Australia to meet Empire demands that cannot now be fulfilled because of war dislocation.

Flax is required particularly for war materials, and for cloth and canvas equipment.—B.U.P.

**THIS WEEK'S THE WEEK (PERHAPS!)****OUR FIGHTING FORCES READY FOR "INVASION DATE"**

By Our Military Correspondent

FROM NAZI INSPIRED SOURCES IN NORWAY HAVE COME REPORTS THAT THIS WEEK WILL SEE THE INVASION OF BRITAIN.

Well, our fighting forces are ready, and orders have been given to all troops to exercise extreme vigilance during the next few days.

While the object of announcing such dates is to confuse the British Command and to intensify the "war of nerves" it must be admitted that the Nazis have been making feverish preparations during the past ten days and that the invasion attempt, if it does come, must come soon.

Whether that attempt in the original form as planned by Hitler will take place is not now certain.

In the past month the British Commander-in-Chief of the Home Forces has strengthened the defences all over the country—not merely round the coasts, but deep

inland as well. And it is doubtful whether any German invading force could have any hope of making an impression—except on the Nazi casualty figures.

What is regarded as possible now is that the attack on Britain, at this stage, will take the form of a large-scale diversion, to cover up the real immediate attack which (as reported in Page One) may be made elsewhere.

Such a plan would not mean that the attack on Britain would be a half-hearted affair.

It would, in fact, be launched on a scale as big as that which characterised the invasion of the Low Countries and France, but with this difference—Hitler feels that if he did not subdue Britain in a few weeks the attack would at least keep Britain so occupied that the Axis powers would have everything their own way in the Middle East.

That is not necessarily true, for although we are outnumbered by the Middle East, we have substantial forces there, not only in troops, but in naval and Air Force contingents.

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many as 500 Nazi planes in the air at once.

That would be the answer to the R.A.F.'s prayer. For the battle over Dover a few days ago shows what may be expected when the Germans begin to send their planes over in numbers.

Such an attack would be the quickest way towards establishing British air superiority in numbers—the one factor that is needed to make British victory assured.

In addition to the mass air attack there would undoubtedly be other onslaughts on our shores. Hitler has been massing troops on the northern coast of France during the past week. He has also been assembling fleets of small transport vessels, and flotillas of motor torpedo boats and destroyers, in the harbours around the Danish, Dutch and Belgian coasts.

He has been placing his big guns in position along the coast from Dunkirk to Calais, with the object of bombarding our shores, providing a "lane" through which he can send transport vessels across and putting up a barrage which he thinks will hold off our Navy.

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If his guns, too, can form a "lane" of gunfire through which is planned that his ships would pass, our guns equally can fire at those ships as they sail across the Channel.

Our Air Force, too, has shown what it can do to the northern French coast gun emplacements. And it has also been laying mines in all the harbours now in German occupation, which means that any Nazi armada setting sail is bound to suffer serious damage.

Though the view taken in many quarters is that the projected attack on Britain is not, at the moment, the main Nazi operation, that does not mean that Hitler has abandoned the hope of making it decisive, when taken in concert with the devastating blows he hopes to strike in the Middle East.

For he feels that if, concurrently with capturing the Middle East and parts of Africa, he can also bomb the morale of the British public to smithereens, he will have no difficulty in securing acceptance of the next piece of terrain he offers.

This would render unnecessary the impossible task which he originally set himself of subduing Britain by occupation. That is where he makes the mistake,

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The Germans, it is stated, have been told that the United States will probably be in the war soon and that they should "go home now rather than wait to be put in concentration camps."

An offer has been made by the consulate to pay a large part of the passage money for Germans of military age.

Col. William Donovan, who has just returned to the United States from Britain—he made the journey in the flying-boat Clare last weekend—where he was sent on a special mission for Col. Knox, United States Navy Secretary, saw President Roosevelt yesterday.

According to a Washington message, he told Mr. Roosevelt that, in his opinion, any attempt of German invasion of England would fail.

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